

# **Pettis Dry Goods Company collection S2001**

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## Summary Information

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| <b>Repository</b>    | Rare Books and Manuscripts          |
| <b>Title</b>         | Pettis Dry Goods Company collection |
| <b>Date</b>          | 1899                                |
| <b>Extent</b>        | 0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder            |
| <b>Language</b>      | English                             |
| <b>Text [Folder]</b> | S2001                               |

### Preferred Citation

Pettis Dry Goods Company collection, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

## **Administrative History**

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In an Indianapolis city directory of 1899, Pettis Dry Goods Company listed the following as its basic goods of trade: "Dry Goods, Cloaks, Millinery, Notions, Carpets, Boots, and Shoes." The store was located at 25-33 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana. Officers of the company in 1899 were A. Swan Brown, President; James A. Swan, Treasurer; and George A. Gay, General Manager.

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## **Scope and Contents**

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This collection includes a commercially printed invitation from Pettis Dry Goods Company in Indianapolis, Indiana ranging from 1899/09/20 to 1899/08/22 regarding special displays of millinery goods and hats.

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## **Arrangement**

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This collection is arranged chronologically.

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## **Administrative Information**

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### **Publication Information**

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### **Conditions Governing Access**

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### **Custodial History**

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

### **Accruals**

No further additions are expected.

### **Processing Information**

Collection processing completed 1998 by Philip N. Williams. EAD finding aid created 2014/08/07 by Edythe Huffman.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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### **Corporate Name(s)**

- Pettis Dry Goods Company (Indianapolis, Ind.).

### **Geographic Name(s)**

- Indianapolis (Ind.)

### **Subject(s)**

- Invitation cards
- Millinery